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DRAMASHOP SEEKS TRYOUTS FOR SHOW

Hentschel, Graduate Student, to Direct This Fall's Presentation

Tryouts for the Dramashop's fall presentation, "The Tavern," were held Monday at five o'clock, in Room 2-190. It was announced that further trials would take place tomorrow in the same room and at the same time, in order that everyone might have a chance to attend.

Robert A. A. Hentschel, graduate student of the Institute and former General Manager of Dramashop, will direct that organization this year instead of Professor Dean M. Fuller.

Results of the tryouts will probably be announced towards the end of this week, at which time the management will have seen and heard all the available material.

PROFESSOR MORRIS TO TALK OVER THE "AIR"

"Depths of Time" to Be Subject of Address Rendered

Frederick K. Morris, Professor of Geology at the Institute, will give an address on October 12 at 8:15 P. M. on the subject "Depths of Time" over the Yankee Network and under the auspices of the Northeastern Section of the American Chemical Society.

Lectures will be given weekly by the American Chemical Society over Station WAAB and its affiliated stations. Lectures on subjects of scientific importance will be delivered each Friday evening at 8:15.

Instituted several years ago as an activity of the division of Chemical Education of the Society, and cooperating with the several advisory councils for radio education, the (Continued on Page 6)

Latest Freshman Styles



Lloyd Ewing, '38

"SEASON'S OUTLOOK IS GOOD" SAYS RAWSON

Many Veterans Return to School Confirms Coach Rawson's Declaration

ing start last night when ten var- novelty elimination dance, about sity team aspirants reported to Coach Tommy Rawson at the Hangar Gym. According to Rawson, judging from the number of veterans returning and their respective punching ability, the season outlook is very bright. The schedule however, is the stiffest and in the Main Lobby today, tomorrow, longest in a number of years with a possibility of including Syracuse and Western Maryland, the winner and Prof. and Mrs. Carle R. Hayward, and runner-up respectively of the Easter Mr. and Mrs. John M. Nalle. Intercollegiates last year, and also Harvard, West Point, the U. S. Coast muters' Club in 1932 the association Guard Academy, New Hampshire, has sponsored several successful Springfield and Villanova.

probably because of their interest in and dance down Boston harbor aboard

COMMUTERS' DANCE TO HAVE FEATURE IN GUEST SOLOIST

Marcelle Poirier Has Broadcast on Cleercoal Hour With Andrew Jacobson

MUSIC BY DUKE CHARLES

With a guest soloist in the person of Marcelle Poirier, and Duke Charles' dance music, the Commuters' 5:15 Club will hold its first dance of this season next Thursday evening, the night before the holiday, from 9 to 2 o'clock in Walker Memorial.

Miss Poirier, whose picture is reproduced elsewhere in this issue, has recently completed a twenty weeks engagement at the Metropolitan Theater on the program of the Conrad style show. This soloist has sung over the radio with Andrew Jacobson on the Cleercoal Hour, and as a featured guest artist, she has broad- ALL DORM FRESHMEN cast from every Boston station. The Commuters feel fortunate to have secured Miss Poirier to sing at their dance.

Walker Memorial will be transformed by the use of cornstalks and pumpkins to give a rural atmosphere. The boxing season got off to a fly- During the evening there will be a which George A. Peterson, '35, chairman of the dance committee, refuses to devulge any further details.

Tickets are priced at \$1.50 for nonthe 5:15 Club... They will be on sale and Thursday from 11 to 2 o'clock. Chaperones for the occasion are

Since the organization of the Com-

dances. In June of the past two years As yet no freshmen have come out, the club has been on a moonlight sail the Mayflower.

Featured Guest Soloist



Marcelle Poirier, NBC Radio Star Who Will Sing at Commuters' Barn Dance

PRESENT AT MEETING

Attendance Perfect At Second Compulsory Dinner

The second Freshman Dormitory Dinner took place Monday night in the North Hall of Walker. In accordance with the custom followed in these affairs, attendance of the firstyear men was compulsory. Knowing members and \$1.25 for members of that the way of the transgressor is apt to be rough, the class of '38's dormitory representatives were all pres-

> Robert Scribner, '35, chairman of the Freshman Dormitory Committee, acted as toastmaster. He commented on the astonishing manner in which the freshmen have organized. He cautioned them, "Don't win Field Day before the twenty-sixth."

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CLASS RIVALRY IS MOUNTING HIGH AS FIELD DAY NEARS

Turn-Outs for Both Classes Indicate Teams Are Evenly Matched

PRESIDENTS EQUALLY CERTAIN OF VICTORY

Frosh Crew Confident: Thomson Says 70% of Sophomore Class Represented

According to latest field day statistics, this year's engagement, which will be held on Friday, Oct. 26, 1934, will be a real fight to the finish.

Both the Junior president, Michael A. Kuryla, and James R. Thomson, the Sophomore president, feel quite confident in the freshmen and Sophomore classes, respectively. However, Kuryla feels that the Freshmen "are doing 70% of what they really could do." Thomson, in all possible confidence, says, "The fellows are doing a good job on the teams; they are showing a great deal of class spirit."

The following will show whether or not these men have a right in feeling as they do. At present, the Sophomore class turn-out is: 35 men for Football, with an average weight of about 180 pounds; Tug-of-War, 40 men, average weight, 185; Crew, 9 men, average weight, 150; and Relay, 20 men. The freshmen class turn-out is as follows: Football, 38 men, average weight, 165; Tug-of-War, 16 men, average weight, 150; Crew, 56 men, both lights and heavies, and Relay, 29 men.

Freshmen are at this time to be informed that more managers and many more men for Tug-of-War are needed

Although the Glove fight is given only one point, to the winner of it goes a moral victory, because the whole class The chairman introduced the lead-lengages in this fight, whereas only a ers of the several dormitories in the small portion of it participates in the other events

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ADVICE TO THE GOBLIN

THE DORM RUMOR

D ROBABLY the dominating feature of all college activities, from the highest to the lowest, is the constantly shifting personnel. Nor is the change gradual. A whole class departs and another, with only the scantiest of training, steps into its boots.

This means that a poorly performing management can botch its work for only a year when it is replaced by a group of men who, we hope, are better. But in the strength of this system lies its weakness. Just as difficult to sustain as the crudities of an inferior group are the ambitious and capable efforts of an outstanding management.

The reason for the above reflections is the first issue of this term's Dorm Rumor which sets some form of record for puerile and vituperative literature. Instead of those little items which "razzed" well-known characters in the dormitories in a rough but good humored manner there appear expressions which are merely vicious. Good humor is often broad and earthy but never offensive.

Here is an example of the phraseology used by the editor to instill spirit into the two lower class. ".... the present feeling among upperclassmen seems to be that both the frosh and Sophs are a bunch of punks, pikers, or what have you?" All of which is apparently calculated to put a loyal feeling into every lowerclassman in the dormitories.

We advise the editors of The Rumor, if they can take advice, that they are missing an opportunity to unite a body which of the three at Technology has the best features for unison. And the virtues of good taste and restraint will glow as brightly in a *Rumor* as they will anywhere else.

THE COST OF LIVING

COLLEGES EXPENSES

FOR several years students at the Institute have been irritated by a tuition fee which seemed far in excess of the sum demanded by the average educational institution. This irritation was in most cases rather transient because of the very futility of giving it much thought. Had the students in question stopped to reason, they should have found that their expenses during their years at the Institute did not exceed by much the expenses of the average student at other representative American colleges.

The general term "expenses" is used because of their nature. In some of the institutions of learning in this country, a certain part if not the whole of the student body is required to live in the dormitories maintained by the school. With this requirement, the expenses of the average student approach nearer to the amount paid by him to the school than they do at the Institute. Since this amount is variable, a student of that school would be in a worse position should that school have to enlarge its income, than a student at the Institute under the same conditions, for the latter has more choice as to his manner of living.

Furthermore, the locale of the institution should be taken into consideration when dealing with student expenses. Should the school be located in an area where, for economic reasons, prices are always high, the expenses of the student are bound to be large. Lack of competition in the neighborhood of many colleges which are comparatively "far from civilization" has this effect. Since students at the Institute live either in or near Boston, where competition keeps prices within a reasonable range, their expenses are lower, on the average, than those of the students in the other institution.

Figures connected with this subject have been collected, and they tend to show the invalidity of any notion that expenses at the Institute are large. To give one comparison: it has been found that the expenses of the average student at the Institute amount to but \$1,050 per year, whereas the average student at Dartmouth expends more than \$1,700 per annum.

OUT OF CHAOS

AN ARMED PROPHET

T is hard to realize that no longer are we a pioneer country expanding in a raw, crude land, but an ancient nation with one of the oldest governments in the world, and with hoary political traditions that have been handed down for generation after generation in marked contrast to the shifting political philosophies of what we quaintly call the Old World.

But whether or not our political dogmas remain stable, economic conditions change as fast or faster in the United States than in Europe. For that reason our ideas as to man's relations to society are often sadly out of joint by a few score years.

Man is still man, but he seems to be changing his function from that of an independent unit, a rugged individual if you please, to that of a cell in a new organism; one of his own creation, the industrial state. And the proof of this statement is that, in contrast to the only rugged individual, the frontiersman, he can exist only as part of the state and on no other terms.

Consider the engineer. Mainly through means created by him, through functions performed by him, but motivated by forces which he does not control, the division of labor has reached such a pitch in the countries most removed from barbarism that nature's idea of a completely independent man, sufficient unto himself, has been destroyed.

If the engineer were accused of social irresponsibility to the group of men, machines, skills and institutions which alone are capable of continued being without breakdown, he would be taken aback.

His basic philosophy has been to obey orders, to carry out with utmost efficiency the projects deemed desirable by those in control of the economic system. If he is told to build a railroad in Costa Rica, his sole purpose is to create the best possible system with the materials available. The social effects of the railorad or power plant or machine are outside his consideration.

Is he right? Is his attitude the only one possible under existing circumstances?

An answer is perhaps presumptuous in view of the tremendous obscurity and importance of the problem, but stepping boldly in where angels would no doubt bog down, we say that there is no good reason why the engineer should not extend his fields to include statesmanship and sociology. His present training would do him no good except as a background, but his methods of attack should chew away at this question as they have at many another knotty problem.

The issue can be evaded by saying that the engineer does his duty in response to an existing economic order, that to change his duties would be to change the system.

Perhaps. But imperative need demands that there arise some man who is an engineer, that he may understand industry, a statesman that he may understand man; and a prophet that he may lead us out of chaos.

Remember what Machiavelli said: "All armed prophets have conquered, and the unarmed ones have been destroyed." The engineer is at least armed.

NOW AND THEN

Niccolo Machiavelli, 1469-1527, diplomat, historian, statesman. "Nothing is more difficult to take in hand, more perilous to conduct, or more uncertain in its success, than to take the lead in the introduction of a new order of things, because the innovator has for his enemies all those who have done well under the old conditions, and lukewarm defenders in those who may do well under the new."

George Boaz. "In proportion as one tries to make the world better, one incurs the opposition not only of those who stand to lose scmething by the change, but of many who have little tangible reason for resistance."



 $Embro\ Genius$

It happened at Freshman Camp. During the recreational period in the afternoon, all freshman aspirants to the Musical Club's orchestra were asked to display their talents at a group rehearsal. The meeting was held in "Friendship Lodge," outside of which members of the Faculty were beginning to congregate at the time to participate in the "official welcomes" which were to follow.

For some time the youthful souls continued to pour forth their ecstatic exuberance into those pieces of metal or wood which, somehow or other. failed to convert their enravishment into any kind of endurable sounds.

In fact, such was the quality of the charivari exuding from the depths of the Friendship Lodge that wry grimaces began to come from the more important members of the Faculty who had now arrived and were wondering, in perhaps more respectful language: 'What the h---."

The thoughts of their audience, however, seemed incapable of being transmitted to the minds of the young virtuosi, who, never daunted, continued their soul-haunting cacophony with remarkable self-assurance.

This sort of thing could not go on forever. After a particularly distorted (Continued on Page 6)

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00PER, '37, DARK HORSE MAKES AN **UPSET SATURDAY**

oston College, Northeastern Stars, Defeated During Meet with Italians

ALY WELL REPRESENTED

Eugene Cooper, '37, practically unwn in intercollegiate track comtition, provided the biggest upset the Italian-American meet at Harand last Friday. Shunned by track ficials and not even mentioned as spotential threat, Gene upset the les on the know-it-alls by defeat-McKee of Boston College and Elof Northeastern, considered the best American entries in any nt. Cooper, who was last year's hman track captain, and who this ar is fighting for a position on the arsity cross country team, was connt to allow Poma and Bicci to set pace, following them a few yards and all the way to the last lap. ning down the home stretch, per put on pressure and passed the bewildered Italians with a sprint, being clocked in at 2 utes 4 1-5 seconds. Although oper is practically unknown in inollegiate circles, he is certainly flash in the pan. He has shown his ttle by winning places on the hman cross country and track ms, and also by establishing a new titute record of 2:01 in the half

The only other Tech man to place the meet was Mort Jenkins, who s forced to trail the more experied Luigi Beccali of Italy, in the 0 meter event. In this race, Becwas to attempt a new world recin order to regain his title from thron of Princeton who just this mer lowered the time to 3 min-48.8 seconds. In running this nt Beccali had no trouble in leadthe field and at frequent intervals ned around to size up his lead. At such time while running too close the boards, he tripped and he was reled almost head over heels. The e little Italian immediately unded up and continued on his way, ing a bare three or four seconds in at to the last lap, one of the spectas ran out into the track to take his ture. Beccali literally had to push admirer off the track to continue the last lap. In the meantime kins was fighting to close up the that separated him from the Impic champion, but the best he pld do was to trail him about fifty ds in the rear.

among the other Tech men who et to the Stadium, Jim Thompson, the high jump cleared the bar at but failed to place. The event bewon by Spitz, clearing 6.3. In javelin, Tommy Brown placed

Undergraduate Notices

There are still a few official Techlogy blotters left at the T. C. A. Of-Anyone who has not yet received may do so by calling at the above Wins 800 Meter Run



Eugene Cooper, '37,

VARSITY BOOTERS READY FOR YALE

Eight Veterans Back on Team: Freshmen Meet Watertown in Their Opener

With a nucleus of eight of last year's varsity men about which to form, prospects for a good year in soccer are very bright. The total squad numbers about twenty-five and has been practising since the start of classes this term. Forsberg will captain the team this

The opening game comes on Saturday at Yale and should prove very interesting. Last year the team lost to Yale by one goal. With eight veterans in the lineup, the Beavers should come through this year.

The freshmen open their season on fall. Another mishap to mar his Saturday also, playing Watertown empt to regain his title occurred | Senior High School at Watertown. Not coming down the end of the many freshmen have as yet reported for the team but it is not yet too late. Any freshmen interested in the sport

Soccer Schedules Are Announced by Manager

Manager Hardman announces the following varsity soccer schedule.

Oct. 13 Yale at Yale.

20 Tufts here.

27 Dartmouth here.

31 Army at W. P.

Nov. 3 Brown at Brown. 17 Harvard at Harvard.

24 Clark at Worcester. The following is the freshman

schedule:

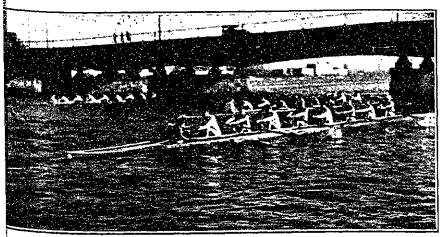
Oct. 13 Watertown at Watertown.

17 Andover at Andover. 27 Harvard freshmen at

Harvard.

Nov. 3 Dean Academy here.

Freshman Crews in Early Morning Practice



The first year crews are going through a strenuous round of training er Coach Al Dunning every morning at seven o'clock in preparation for Field Day race against the Sophomores.

SPORTS COMMENT

With Field Day only two and a half weeks away, it appears that the Sophomores will have to show more class spirit than has been evident to date if they expect to see freshmen displaying the traditional cardinal and gray neckwear after October 26th. From our viewpoint we believe that the frosh have put it all over their rivals up to the present time. Dormitory freshmen in particular have banded together very strongly. However, we can't salute the yearlings in too many sweet words, for they too, are charged with lack of support of some of their Field Day teams. We have especial reference to the tug-of-war crew, which is sadly undermanned at the present moment. What do you say, frosh, are you going to let your commendable spirit go unrewarded by not supporting your teams to your fullest extent?

Meanwhile what does the Sophomore side of the ledger say? First and foremost is the rumor that the Sophs are anticipating having to use a four-oared shell in the pull down the Charles River on the morning of October 26th. The reason for this expectation is the fact that the usual turnout for a Sophomore crew workout these days consists of from six to eight oarsmen and a coxswain. Other teams are being supported fairly well, but not sufficiently well to warrant a winning score two weeks from Friday. Added to this is the deplorable lack of spirit among a large percentage of the second-year men. The slogan coined two years ago with reference to the then freshman class in connection with an entirely differet matter might well be applied to the Class of 1937, namely: "Are you men or pansies?"

So much for the annual brawl; now to turn to a subject which is not strictly sports but nevertheless is very closely connected with them. We refer to the problem of manning the sports department of THE TECH. This year we are faced with the necessity of struggling along with only a skeleton staff. None of the freshmen who have come out for The Tech this year have signed up with the sports department. To anyone interested in athletics we can think of no more enjoyable activity, outside of the sports themselves, than that of reporting the games and meets. A sports reporter in collegiate circles sees many important athletic events in the course of his reportorial duties meets outstanding coaches and athletes. If there are any of you who would be interested in work on the sports department of this newspaper we will gladly welcome you in The Tech newsroom. Opportunity for advancement is plentiful, so let us hear from you.

FRESHMEN BETTER SAYS AL DUNNING

Predicts Victory for Freshmen Over Sophomore Boats on Field Day

For the first time in five years, a vicory for the freshmen field day crew seems assured. Al Dunning is very enthusiastic about the prospects of the frosh, for they have six full crews out practicing every morning. They are showing some real spirit and unless the second year men get going, there will be no doubt about the winner on field

The material for these crews is excellent on both the heavy and lightweight squads, and the men are responding wonderfully to the intensive training and instructions being given them by both coaches. The heavyweight crews are by no means having things all their own way, for the lightweights are giving them a real run for their money. In fact last year the

should report to the Coop Field at five o'clock this afternoon or tomorrow. Members of the freshmen team receive their numerals for playing on their class team.

lightweights won out in the time trials and consequently rowed on field day. 6, Morrisson; 7, Branning; stroke, Dol-It is quite possible for the little fellows to repeat this year. In any case, the crew that will represent the freshmen this year will be a real first class outfit.

At the present time, crew A of the heavy squad is made up of the following men: bow, Wilson; 2, Germain; 3, Bausch; 4, Alder; 5, Underwood; 6, Dunlap; 7, McLaughlin; stroke, Dra per; cox, Smith.

Expects Frosh Victory



Coach Al Dunning who has been tutoring the freshman crews for the past four years, expressed the opinion to a TECH reporter yesterday morning that he was confident that his charges would win on Field Day.

Crew B: bow, Preston; 2, Hutchins; 3, Livingstone; 4, Ehmils; 5, Foote; ben; cox, Ray.

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ESTES, MATHEMATICS **INSTRUCTOR GOES TO** UNIVERSITY OF N. C.

Was One of Most Versatile Men on the Staff of the Institute

One of the most versatile instructors who has ever been at the Institute, Mr. James G. Estes, mathematics instructor for the last two years, has left Technology to become an assistant professor at the State College of Agriculture and Engineering of the University of North Carolina.

Mr. Estes, who was born in Texas, graduated from high school while working in the summer on an ice wagon, and doing numerous odd jobs around home and school, in true "Frank Merriwell" style. He then attended Texas Christian University, where he was the first letter man in athletics to become vale dictorian of his class.

Stars at Football

Mr. Estes won two letters in football, missing a third because of a foot infection. In his junior year he was widely selected as an All-Conference guard. He also starred at basketball, and played on an Intramural team that won the school championship four times in succession. When he graduated, Mr. Estes became an instructor at T. C. U., and was later a part-time instructor at the University of Illinois, while working for his master's degree, which he received in June, 1927.

With a friend of his, Mr. Estes then went to Chicago, "determined," as he said, "to make a go of it in the big city." The two got jobs with the Yellow Cab Company, and had many interesting experiences as taxicab drivers.

Mr. Estes then returned to T. C. U. as an assistant Professor. While at the University of Illinois he had practiced boxing. In 1927 he entered a tournament in Fort Wayne under an assumed name, in order to avoid publicity. By the time his identity was discovered, he was well on his way to the finals in the heavyweight division.

The final bout ended in a draw, and an extra round was also even. Mr. Estes' apponent is now one of the leading professional heavyweights in the southwest. Mr. Estes had many offers to turn professional, but turned them down.

While a councillor at a Colorado summer camp in 1930, he did a great deal of mountain climbing, including three peaks over 13,000 feet high, one of them over 14,000. He had previously climbed Pikes Peak, and so arduous was the ascent that four of the six in the party passed out.

Mr. Estes has been at Technology since 1930. He received his Ph.D. degree in 1933. While here his only athletic activity has been to play on a church basketball team.

CO-EDGEWISE

"And why did you come to Tech?" we said quite innnocently to one of our freshman coeds who was dashing madly about in the general 9:04 rush. She stopped abruptly and faced us resentfully. "What? Et tu, Brute! Well, not to get a man at any rate," she flung back at us and was gone before we could satisfy ourselves.

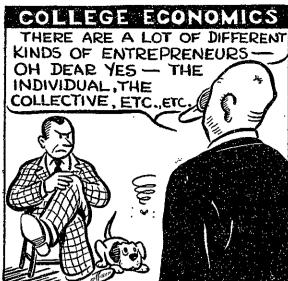
"Well, I don't blame her," remarked another young lady who seemed to think that upperclassmen ought to be put in their places without further adieu. "That sounds just like a formula to me now. Every one of those holy males does condescend to ask us that in either a very sceptical or subtly insinuating tone, "she declared with some heat. The next person who asked me that I'll-"

"Wait a minute," we intervened. somewhat abashed and very subdued, "all we wanted was to tell them once and for all." Every one admitted that once in a while upperclassmen do get bright ideas. So gentlemen,

here you are:

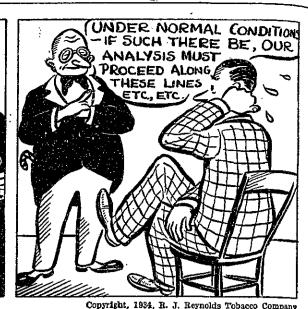
It seems that our architects, Barbara Eaton, of 205 Beacon St., Waltham, Mass., and Ann Person of El Pasco, Texas., both came to the decision that Tech was the finest school of its kind in the country. We were under the impression that a very different superlative would be in order but we tactfully overlooked the fact."

"But aren't you a bit lonesome so









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Entering Contingent of Technology Coeds



Left to right: Anne Schwik, Pearl Rubenstein, Ann Person, Jeanette Pollack, Barbara Eaton, Jeanne Kitenplon.

little Ann. "Oh," she replied quite, those dear, dead days? natively, "I'm thinking of having Daddy and Mother come and live with me in Boston," Editorial "we" decidely nonplussde!

"But aren't you a bit lonesome so far from home?" we asked charming little Ann. "Oh," she replied quite naively, "I'm thinking of having Daddy and Mother come and live with me in Boston." Editorial "we" decidedly nonplussed!

"But from El Paso, Texas!" we finally stuttered.

"I don't mind being so far from home," was the reply. "Besides it wouldn't make any difference to Daddy, because although we went to Texas from California, we came originally from Boston. I was seven years old when we left Boston, but I'm afraid I'm not a very loyal citizen because I don't like Boston very well." Later, however, we managed to get her to admit that perhaps it was because she was a little lonesome.

A light began to dawn on our befuddled brains, another only child sure enough! In fact there are quite a number of freshmen coeds that can be classed in that category.

"And now that you are here, do you think you like the Institute?"

"We most certainly do!" chorused the freshmen. Evidently it was unani-

"But why?" came the question. Had

"Well for one thing, we have so much freedom compared to that of high school days. Why in one of our classes the boys actually bring their radios with them," said Barbara.

"That's all very well, but not sufficient reason for coming to the Institute."

"Well, suppose we came for the same reason that the boys do-to learn something" suggested Pearl Rubenstein, the practical lady of the group. We begged to express our doubts as to the validity of that reason as far as the boys were concerned.

In talking to Pearl, one wonders if she hasn't made a mistake and that she is really "Deb" Rubenstein. (Mrs. Dauber to you.) This is the bane of Pearl's existence. "No I didn't come here because Debbie did," asserted Pearl. "I'm not taking the same course. I'm going to be a physicist, if (doesn't that sound familiar?- I can make the grade.

"I'm so tired of being told I should be clever because I'm Debbie's sister. I heard that all through Latin School, and so now I hope I can be Pearl Rubenstein and not just somebody's sister." Pearl, by the way comes from 4 Denison St., Roxbury.

"And I didn't come here because Pearl did," averred Ann Schwek even more emphatically. "Although

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other, and we both have planned to at a dance until twelve on Saturb come here all through Latin School, nights, but in any case we made our decisions quite independently."

Chemistry seems to be the most popular field for coeds because Pearl is the only one of the freshmen, beside the architects, who is venturing into another course.

Jeanette Pollack, 1447 Blue Hill Ave., Dorchester, a graduate of Roxbury Memorial; Anne Schwek, 10 Homestead St., Roxbury, a graduate of Latin School; Ruth Raftery, 819 Broadway, South Boston, a graduate of Brighton High, and Jeanne Kitenplon, 426 Marlborough St., Boston, are registered in Courses V and X. Everyone of the girls except Jeanne came to the Institute because of her interest in Science and her desire to make it her life's work.

Quite the most novel and startling piece of information we gleaned was the fact that there was actually one coed at the Institute who is here out of no choice of her own. That young lady is Jeanne Kitenplon from Aurora, Illinois. Tech was of her father's choosing, but now that she is here, Jean thinks Tech the only place to attend.

For one year, Jeanne attended Stephen Junior College. When asked 1933 the dividends were 8% for charge how she liked it, she said: "It was grand fun for awhile, but one got so tired of seeing the same faces twelve hours a day for seven days a week for six weeks that at the end of that time it took great control to keep day, October 15th at 2:30 P. M from throwing things.

We had so little freedom. If we mother, or sister of any register far from home?" we asked charming we sounded as enthusiastic as that in we live only a few streets from each were very, very good we could stay student is invited to attend.

were never allowed to go in our cort's car

"Never?" we exclaimed.

"Oh," she said, laughing at our experience, "but we seldom went a other way. It was quite amusing. were obliged to vouch for escorts all particulars. His name, address telephone number, his fraternity, previous dates at the school, his a and practically everything but genelogy was duly recorded."

Quite exciting, gentlemen, BUT never is going to be married ${\mathbb T}^{\mathfrak g}$

COOP PAYS MEMBERS \$56,000 IN DIVIDEN

56,000 dollars in dividends will be paid to members of the Technolog branch, it was announced today at " offices of the Harvard Cooperative S ciety by Mr. G. E. Cole, the manage The checks will be ready for distrib tion on October 13. The dividends 7% on charge purchases and 9% cash purchases. The Co-op will acc the checks in payment of this month bills. Previous to the Fall of 18 accounts and 10% for eash purchase

UNDERGRADUATE NOTICE The Technology Dames will their first meeting of the year! the Emma Rogers Room. The

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South America contributed only two men to the Institute freshman population, one form Argentine Republic, the other from Brazil.

for three men, one each from Quebec, of heavy chemicals in the immediate vi-Ontario, and New Brunswick, while one cinity, will be made by the Chemical student in this year's freshman class comes from Newfoundland.

Other freshmen now at the Institute have come from Havana, Cuba, Porto

Here in the United States, many of come from China, two from Iraq, and the cities and towns from which some of the freshmen come have quite interesting and amusing names. One student hails from Romeo, Michigan, while another arrives from Iron Mountain, in the same state. The early Indian influence is manifested in the names of many of the towns, a few of which follow: Wawatossa, and Kewaunee, in Wisconsin; Keokuk, Iowa; Skowhegan, Maine, and Bozeman, Mon-

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sachusetts, County of Middlesex.

CHEMICAL SOCIETY TO MAKE INSPECTION TOUR

Will See Making of Sulphides, Acids, and Salts

Inspection of the Merrimac Chemi-Canada, on our North, is responsible cal Company, the only manufacturers Society Wednesday afternoon.

> Plants which will be seen will probably include those making hydrochloric and nitric acids, Glauber salt, sodium sulphide, acetic acid, and lacquers.

> This is the first of a series of similar trips to be taken by the Society during the coming year at the rate of two a month. Wednesday's group will leave the Main Lobby at 1:15 o'clock.

personally appeared John D. Loomis, ment (and if a daily paper, the circu-

General Manager, John D. Hossfield; securities than as so stated by him. Editor, Paul Cohen; Managing Editor, Hamilton H. Dow; Business Manager, John D. Loomis, all of Cambridge, Massachusetts.

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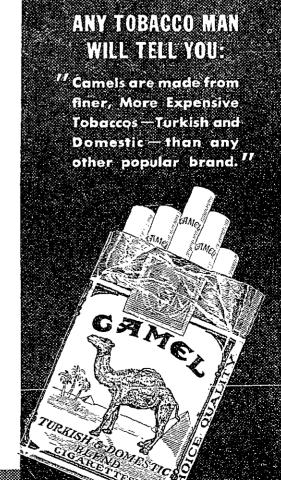
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140 Pieces of Machinery Housed Here Are Valued at More Than \$31,000

That maze of belts that you see overhead when you chance to pass through the Machine Tool Laboratory on the third floor of Building 3 would measure 4,000 feet if connected in one continuous piece, a recent inquiry by THE TECH revealed. This distance is sufficient to surround the Institute on three sides. It is also sufficient to encircle Walker Memorial about four times.

In this gigantic laboratory, which measures 294 feet by 58 feet, are more than 140 single pieces of machinery, estimated at a value of about \$300,000. Practically all of these machines are driven by means of a 50 horse power engine with a system of belts, which, as noted, measure about 4,000 feet.

The entire capacity of the engine is not utilized, however, since many of the machines are now motor-driven. Thus, only about 27 of the 50 horse power are consumed.

16 Different Types of Machines

At least 16 different types of machines are included in the 140 pieces located there. Among these are: engine lathes, speed lathes, planers, punch presses, drill presses, and machines for thread milling, grinding, milling, broaching, gear cutting, swagging, profiling, nibling, high speed riveting, and boring.

The tool room, which is completely equipped with all kinds of tools from monkey wrenches to micrometers, is valued at approximately \$20,000. Here the attendant delivers the required instruments to students with the required checks

In the course of the work in the laboratory, many kinds of precision instruments are used. One apparatus, making use of light rays can measure a deflection of ten millionths of an inch. The supermicrometer and various optical machines in use there are also capable of very accurate measurement.

80 Students Use Lab Daily
According to Mr. Arthur B. English,
instructor in charge of the laboratory,
an average of eighty students work
there each day, presenting a scene of
activity which is probably not exceeded except in the steam lab.

At one end of the long room is a small lecture hall, seating about 150 students, where the details and techniques of the various operations are explained to the engineers before they are allowed to use the machines.

What is perhaps the most unique feature of this laboratory is the great number of exhibition cases lining the main columns, which contain everything from samples of delicate instruments to samples of the various types of goggles.

Included in these cases are: ball bearings, sand papers, abrasives, files, tools, leather for belting, springs, aluminum pieces, piston rings, bearings, valve apparatus, polishing wheels, nuts, bolts, connecting pieces of sundry descriptions. A new case shows the operation of Telechron clocks.

TRYOUTS SOUGHT FOR TECH SHOW

Becker and Allenwood, of Last Year's Show, to Assist This Production

Predicting a "bigger and better" Tech Show for this year, General Manager Fred A. Prahl, '35, issued a call for candidates, yesterday.

Handicapped by the absence of Professor William C. Greene, who coached the Show in other years, Manager Prahl will be assisted by Robert M. Becker and Arthur E. Allenwood, who wrote last year's Show.

The Show, following tradition, will be a musical extravaganza featuring the most shapely and talented of Technology's impresarios. The plot has not yet been determined but three stories are now being written for Manager Prahl's approval.

Tryouts for the cast will be held at some future date, to be announced later. All students who think they have "that certain extra something," are urged to attend.

WITH THE AMERICAN COLLEGE EDITORS

NOW COLLEGES ON THE CARPET

Due for publication in the near future is the Carnegie Foundation's study of the value of higher education, as accurate and comprehensive as its report on college athletics released a few years ago. Six years in preparation, this critical document has investigated the progress in cultural attainment of students from year to year as they have advanced from their final term in high school to a college degree. Annual examinations have tested them thoroughly in English literature, vocabulary and grammar, mathematics, general science, foreign literature, fine arts, general culture, history and social science.

From the conscientiously gathered data have come deductions more remarkable for their consistency and definiteness than for the generalizations they establish. The results reveal a mental shallowness caused by lack of reflection, temporarily compensated for by periodic pursuit of respectable grades. Thus the acquisition of knowledge, in its true sense, plays a minor role in an experience of routine memorizing and time-saving.

That scholastic attainment—of the sort filed in a recorder's office—is not necessarily an indication of culture. It is in part the fault of the credit system and in part the fault of students who do not intergrate their studies as that system permits them to do. Small colleges, both highest and lowest in the report, seemingly are not immune, by virtue of their size alone, to these maladies.

The evil of the credit system seems to be in its failure to encourage individual study of self-chosen topics. For this a good antidote is an honors system, which Amherst has. If the plan were more generally followed, by juniors especially, the antidote might become an antitoxin. Addressing the incoming class at Harvard this fall, President Conant declared: "We hope that each one of you will find something that you may study with enthusiasm."

Extension of honors work is possible only if students are intellectually curious. The selection of such men is a difficult task, for admission requirements may be fulfilled in the same manner by which one may obtain an almost meaningless degree. It appears that the alternative is to interview applicants personally, which Amherst does in many cases. The Secretary of the Faculty, in charge of admissions, last year saw "from a half to two-thirds" of the freshmen who were matriculated; more passed under the eyes of other members of the administration and alumni.

The final decision, however, rested on the preparatory or high school record. Undoubtedly then, the Carnegie report's criticism of the existing method of choosing students applies in a similar way, if to a lesser extent, to Amherst. The survey substantiates the suggestion that the College consider for admission all freshmen who present the necessary number of units, picking from this group men who are found in interviews to possess the additional qualifications which are characteristic of students who pursue hon-

To be sure, the survey on which these arguments are founded has shortcomings. It omits evaluations of abstract qualities, which are beyond the scope enough bass."

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The Lounger

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rendition of "The Old Folks At Home," Pete Grant, who had been watching the perturbed faces of the Faculty for some time, finally overcame his better judgment and approached the shack.

Pete, however, is a kind soul, and sought to quell the disturbance with the least possible friction. Tactfully he began: "You've been playing for two hours now, don't you think you ought to take a little rest?"

But these freshmen were endowed with the perseverances of geniuses, for they instantly replied: "Aw, it's only an hour."

After much repartee, Pete finally obtained an agreement to quit for a while, only upon condition that he allow them to convene again later.

Ye Lounger, ever anxious to delve into the causas belli, sought out the director of the aggregation (a musical clubs representative by the way).

"The freshmen aren't so bad this year," we said, maintaining our composure with such an ability as we never credited ourselves with having, "but don't you think there was something lacking?"

And then the reply, uttered with all the romanticism of the true genius: "Yes, its' only because we didn't have enough bass."

Ve Hear by de Phone

Yup, he's gone and did it again. Won't he never l'arn tu keep that foot o' his'n outa the mud? Fer be it f'um us'n to tell names but, Tubby, oh, why didja do it? I l'arned the followin' f'um Sammy Feitelstein as he spoke to som'un o'er the talkin' contraption:

"R-r-r-ring, r-r-r-ring."

"Helloi, Semmy tolkin'. "Vhat!"

"Yea sure, soitinly it's Oncle Semmy, ken't you see me? I'm stending in front frum de telephon.

"Is dis a fect?"

"He vent und bawled hout from de cless Ennie Pollek, Enn Perrson, und Barbera Itton,—hm, such nice goils too."

"I'll gib him yat det Taubby. Fu' vhy he vent und did hit? Didn't he sturry sikarlogy? Don't he no det he shood not hev bawled hout de goils in frunt frum de cless?

"Hi'll tal 'im mine salf dot its nart goot ettics, dot-no-gooder."

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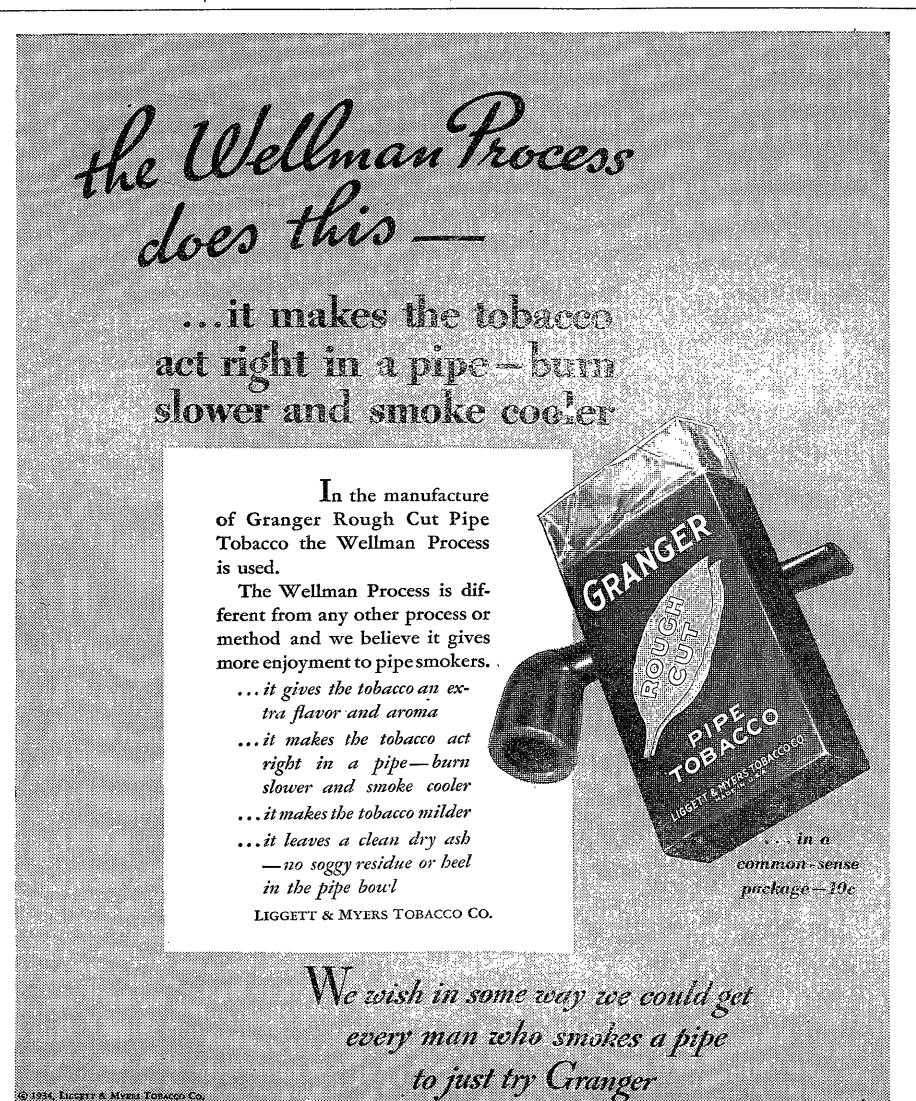
The release which follows was submitted by Voo Doo to us, and finding that no power on earth can make a (Continued on Page 7)

PROFESSOR MORRIS TO TALK OVER THE "AIR"

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series has met with exceptional success.

Rev. Michael J. Ahern, S. J. President of Weston College, and a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, is Chairman of the Broadcast Committee of the Society, and supervises all broadcasts.



The Lounger

(Continued from Page 6) news story out of it, we submit it to you with a few minor punctuations.

The editors and staff of Voo Doo will present once more a volume of the M. I. T. "comic" magazine, the presentation this month being, as usual a FRESHMAN NUMBER.

An array of "snappy" jokes written by "skillful" staff members and drawings produced by "gifted" artists will greet the eye and lighten (?) the heart of many an engineer and ar-

It will be Voo Doo's policy this year to present to its clientele, issues which will "apeal to the greatest number of comments, etc., ad nauseam.

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Transfer Students Are Affected by Tie Rule

It has been the practice in the past for all transfers at the Institute to wear freshman ties.

A new rule which is now going into effect is that transfers who have been to another school for one year only and who are taking eighty percent or more of regular freshman subjects will be required to wear freshman ties. All other transfers will now be exempt from the tie rule.

This release ends with the pre-This issue will be on sale in the remptory command, "To be inserted Main Lobby of Building 10 next week. in THE TECH." At any rate it is of great interest to observe the radical change in the "funny" magazine's policy. We hope it does not jest in its readers." PHOS would appreciate saying that Voo Doo this year will" "... present ... issues which will appeal to the greatest number of readers." In reality this is an easy task. All they have to do is to take both readers aside and straightforwardly ask them what they like.

"SEASON'S OUTLOOK IS GOOD," SAYS RAWSON

(Continued from Page 1) Field Day. However, according to the general opinion around the Hangar Gym, the first year men who have not gone out for their class teams could gain some training and experience in preparation for the glove fight.

Judging from the results of last year's freshman team bouts, a number of sophomores are in line to fill in the varsity berths vacated by Jack Carey, Intercollegiate champ, ex-Captain Proctor Wetherill, runner-up in the championships, and Elliott Bradford. It is expected that Co-Captains Nick Lefthes and Ed Gaughan will handle the 145 and 155 pound assignments respectively.

Lefthes, the fast-stepping Junior, was the 155 pounder last year, while the hard-hitting Gaughan had to concede at least a fifteen pound advantage to all his opponents in the 165 pound class. Other members of last year's team include the bantam weights Norton and Goldsmith and Red Brooks.

MENORAH SOCIETY HAS ANNUAL FALL SMOKER

Professor W. T. Hall Was the Principal Speaker

With Professor W. T. Hall as the orincipal speaker, the M. I. T. Menorah Society conducted its annual Fall smoker in the 5:15 Club Room last night.

After the talk, a program of future events was discussed. The program includes informal talks on current events by well known speakers as well as socials to be held in conjunction with schools and colleges around Boston.

The first dance of the season will be held Saturday night in Walker Memorial.

ALL DORM FRESHMEN PRESENT AT MEETING

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presented in the order of the locations of the buildings, Donald C. Gutleben of Walker, William H. Matchett of Bemis, John G. Mooring of Goodale, Alexander R. Applegarth of Munroe, William H. Parker of Hayden, and Reid Ewing of Wood, all of the class

Walter H. Stockmayer, president of the class of '35, then spoke on the importance of participation in extracurricular activities. He discussed the value of outside interests in the developing of personality and in the supplying of necessary, broadening di-

Freshman Section Leaders

- 1. Ross B. Teal John S. Cleworth
- 2. David D. Weir Adam C. Gambel
- 3. Daniel N. Phillips, II
- Gordon L. Foote 4. Dudley A. Levick
- Robert Flanagan 5. Stearns

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- 11. John J. Wallace
- Robert E. Sessler 12. N. Leroy Hammond
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- 13. Norman E. Weeks Chester A. Williams 14. David L. Sargent
- Newton H. Peyton 15. Ian M. Mackenzie, 302
- Munroe
- Samuel Sterns
- 16. Roberts

Mr. Robert Kimball, assistant to the registrar, the second speaker, excourse of his opening talk. They were | plained the complicated rating system of Technology and stressed the advantages of obtaining good grades. He pointed out that marks at the Institute are considerably lower than those the freshmen may have obtained at other schools; therefore, he urged that each student produce his best work at all times.

> In concluding the meeting, Robert Scribner announced a freshman tea, the first of its kind, to be given on Sunday, October 21, in the Burton Room. The purpose of the tea is to acquaint the freshmen with some members of the faculty and their

Dudley M. Dunlop, 101 Re-

vere Street 17. John R. Cook

Paul J. Shirley 18. Frederic A. Jenks Arnold F. Kaulakis

Intercollegiates

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VARRIED BUSINESS AND WRITING TRAINING IS OFFERED BY THE TECH

Men gain Familiarity with Business Practices and Printing Shop Management

For 53 years THE TECH has been serving the undergraduates of Technology, yet very few of the undergraduate body not connected with the paper realize what must be done in order to place an issue on the stands twice a week. More than 100 man hours are required to produce each issue.

In a newspaper the newsgathering appears on the surface to be the essential part of the work, but it is in reality only one of many problems. The various business departments make it financially possible for the newsmen to do their part, and the editorial and features divisions help make the paper more than a mere news bulletin.

Newsgathering, however, probably requires greater alertness than any other student activity. Some news is foreseen and may be carefully prepared for in advance, but a large part of it "just happens." Nevertheless, unpredicted, it is covered as completely

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as if it had been long expected. Each reporter and news writer is given a permanent assignment and also a list of assignments for each issue just as is done on any large daily. These assignments take care of the work of the activities and most of the happenings around the Institute.

tests of a reporter's ability. A chance approved, and keeps a record of the storemark often leads to an important story. Much news is gained through members of the Faculty and from the administration offices. All material collected by the news and sports men is written up on the day preceding the publication of the issue. Often there seems to be nothing with which to fill the paper a few hours before going to press, but as each of the assignments is covered the required copy comes in.

The work put in by the newsmen carries its own reward with it. Technology men have been accused of being unable to state an idea either verbally or on paper. Newspaper writing gives one ample opportunity to say what he has to say clearly and concisely and one is repeatedly interviewing fellow students, faculty members and men outside the Institute in covering a story.

Closely allied with the news staff in producinng THE TECH are the editorial and feature divisions. Unlike the newsmen, the writers in these departments can put their own ideas into their work. The editorial writing is done by upper classmen who have served in some division previously, and have been at the Institute long enough to become acquainted with undergraduate problems.

There is much going on at the Institute often as routine work, that is of interest to the student body, but which is no news. This matter together with some of the more important events at other colleges is written up by men of the features group. The photographic far as possible with the dummy. He is ern influences on the trade it still has work is handled exactly as a news story limited by five standard make-ups into a degree of agreeable informality is, and offers opportunity for the indi-

viduality of the photographer to show

All the written material or "copy" coming from the various departments is next given to the night editor, who has charge of the printing, proof-reading, and the making up of his issue. He edits all the news copy, that of the other The unforeseen events are the true departments having been previously ries and heads turned in.

> About six o'clock the first of the copy is sent to the printers where it is set up on linotype machines. THE TECH is printed at a commercial establishment so that the undergraduates get an excellent insight into the printing business. The novelty of the surroundings and the number of intricate machines and presses give an added interest to the work.

> The night editor is usually assisted by two men, a member of the junior board and a news candidate. These men read the proofs of the galleys as fast as they come from the machines, rewrite stories or write heads and stories that are late in coming. Odd errors are sometimes made through a misplaced letter and have formed the basis of innumerable jokes.

The proof-readers guard against such errors, misspelling and mistakes of the machine operator.

Meanwhile, in addition to overseeing the work of the staff members, the night editor is planning his pages and the placing of the stories. After selecting the important stories he must decide whether to cut them, run them entirely on one page, or continue them in order that there be no gaps.

THE TECH is made up from a dummy composed in the newsroom before the type is set. After all the copy is set, the night editor goes to the printer and assists the compositor in placing the "lead on the stone" to conform as which he fits the copy as dictated by about it.

CALENDAR

Tuesday, October 9

5:00-Tau Beta Pi Meeting, East Lounge, Walker Memorial.

5:00-5:15 Club Room Committee Meeting, 5:15 Club Room, Walker Memorial.

6:00-Society of Automotive Engineers' Dinner, North Hall, Walker Memorial.

Wednesday, October 10

1:15—Chemical Society Trip to Merrimac Chemical Plant. Leave from Main Lobby.

5:00-Sophomore Rally, Room 5-330.

5:00—Dramashop Tryouts, Room 2-178.

Thursday, October 11 4:30-Physical Colloquium, "Research in Theoretical Physics," by Prof. P. M. Morse, "Current Experimental Research in Radioactivity," by

R. D. Evans, Eastman Lecture Hall. 5:00-Institute Committee Meeting, Committee Room, Walker Memorial 9:00—Commuters' 5:15 Club Dance, Walker Memorial.

Saturday, October 13

8:00-Menorah Society Inter-Collegiate Dance, Walker Memorial.

Monday, October 15

6:15-T. C. A. Dinner, North Hall, Walker Memorial.

6:15—Dorm Dinner Club, Grill Room.

the requirements of the copy. He tries to give the pages an interesting appearance, one that will attract attention but much attention from the reader the enyet does not resort to sensationalism.

After the type is entirely in the forms, and locked, a proof of the page is taken and examined for errors. If ates. the appearance is unsatisfactory the night editor may alter the entire makeup. When the final proof has been taken and approved, the paper officially goes to press. An old tradition of the printing trade demands that the printer's devil go to the nearest saloon and get beer for the entire working force whenever an issue goes to press. The men on THE TECH have modified this to partaking of a midnight lunch at the nearest lunch wagon. Still despite mod-

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